13th, Trichur 14th, Irinjalakkuda 15th, or so—so as to avoid exorbitant T. A.?

(f) Are the Government aware of the existence of such a practice in British Indian Districts?

(g) Will the Government be pleased to place on the table the diary of the Stations visited by him in a month, say, Makaram last?

(h) Will the Government be pleased to state the average travelling allowance per mensem drawn by the Prosecuting Inspector during the 6 months just before the present Police Commissioner took charge, and what is the average travelling allowance drawn by him for the last 6 months?

Mr. SHEIK ABDUL QADIR SAHIB BAHADUR

(a) Salary—Rs. 100 per mensem.

Average monthly allowance for last year } Rs. 88—11—11.

(b) No.

(c) Yes.

(d) No. Most of the cases are in the A. Division Courts, and hence it would be better to have the Head-quarters at Ernakulam.

(e) The course suggested is not practicable.

(f) No.

(g) The Prosecuting Inspector is not required to visit Stations.

(h) (1) Rs. 69—13—0.

(2) Rs. 104—11—2.

Effect of the Central Farm on the Villagers.

മിസ്റ്റർ കുഞ്ഞിങ്ങാട്ട് ശങ്കരൻനമ്പൂതിരി.

246. ഒല്ലൂക്കരയിലുള്ള മാതൃകാ കൃഷിത്തോട്ടംകൊണ്ട് ഉൽനാട്ടുകാർക്ക് പറയത്തക്ക പ്രയോജനമൊന്നും ലഭിക്കുന്നില്ലെന്ന് ഗവർമ്മെണ്ടിന് അറിയുവാൻ സാധിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

മിസ്റ്റർ ഒ. രാമുണ്ണി.

ഗവർമ്മെണ്ട് അറിഞ്ഞിട്ടില്ല.

Grants to aided institutions.

Mr. C. A. KUNJUNNI RAJA.

247. With regard to aided educational institutions of all kinds in the State, will the Government be pleased to state the

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names of those to which aid began to be given (I) during the last three years and (II) before that period, giving particulars pertaining to the nature of the grants and the amounts given during each of the last three years in each case ?

Mr. C. MATTHAI.

Statements furnishing information so far as it could be made available are appended. (*Vide Appendix I.*)

Mr. POULO MAMPILLI.

248. Will the Government be pleased to state if it is considering the reduction of the grants given to grant-in-aid institutions ?

Mr. C. MATTHAI.

Government have taken up the question for investigation with a view to ascertain whether or not the present system should be revised to suit growing requirements.

Mr .E. IKKANDA WARIAR.

249. Will the Government be pleased to state

(a) The amount of Sirkar money given in the last 2 years in the shape of several kinds of grants, such as teaching grant, building grant, laboratory equipment and grant to aided institutions in the State ?

(b) What percentage of the total educational expenditure of the State does it come to?

(c) What is the average expense for maintaining

(1) a Government High School,

(2) an aided High School ?

(d) Are there any Government High Schools which are self-supporting? If so, how many, and which are the institutions?

Mr. C. MATTHAI.

(a) Vide statement appended. (*Vide Appendix II.*)

(b) 28 per cent in 1099 and
29 per cent in 1100.

(c)

(1) Government High School for Boys:—
Net expenditure—Rs. 1,473.
Do for Girls—Rs. 7,458.

(2) Aided High Schools:—
For Boys—Rs. 2,399.
For Girls—Rs. 6,553.

(d) Yes. The Boys' High School at Ernakulam and that at Chittur.

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Mr. M. KRISHNA MENON.

250. (a) What is the total amount given as grant to aided schools last year?

(b) How many of these aided schools are maintained by Christian and Hindu Religious Institutions, and what amount is given to each?

Mr. C. MATTHAI.

(a) Rs. 3,29,050.

(b) Only two schools are maintained by Hindu Religious Institutions.

The grants given are noted below:—

(1) The Tirumala Devaswam High School, Cochin—
Rs. 3,220—4—8;

(2) The Tirumala Devaswam Girls' School, Cochin—
Rs. 1,722—2—8.

Aided schools maintained by Christian Religious Institutions and the grants given are as appended. (*Vide Appendix III.*)

Schools not open to all castes and communities.

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

251. Will the Government be pleased to mention the names of Government and grant-in-aid schools in the State which are not open to all castes and communities?

Mr. C. MATTHAI.

The information is given in the sub-joined statement. (*Vide Appendix IV.*)

Mr. K. T. MATHEW.

Appendix IV. No. 7—the Malayalam Girls' School, Tiruvilluamala.

This School is located near the Temple, and hence caste-Hindus only can study. Is it not possible to change the location?

Mr. C. MATTHAI.

There are aided schools in the vicinity, and so others can study there.

Schools situated on the borders of the State.

Mr. C. A. KUNJUNNI RAJA.

252. Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the schools of all kinds referred to in question 82 which are situated on the borders (say, within a mile of the boundaries)

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